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International Fellowships

Applications for AAUW International Fellowships are open August 1–November 15.

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[Congratulations to AAUW's 2019–20 fellowships and grants awardees!](#)

About the Fellowships

Originally designed to provide Latin American women opportunities for graduate and postgraduate study in the U.S., the International Fellowships program awarded its first fellowship in 1917. The program now includes women from around the world, and International Fellowships have been awarded to more than 3,600 women from more than 150 nations.



<https://www.aauw.org/what-we-do/educational-funding-and-awards/international-fellowships/100-year-anniversary/>

Meet Our Alumnae: International Fellowships



Tererai Trent

Tererai Trent (2001–02), a native of Zimbabwe, scholar, motivational speaker, and humanitarian. She is the founder of [Tererai Trent International](#) whose mission is to provide quality education in rural Africa, was [featured](#) in Nicholas Kristof's book [Half the Sky](#), and has appeared on the *Oprah Winfrey Show*, where she was named [Oprah's all-time favorite guest](#). In 2017, Trent received the [AAUW Alumnae Recognition Award](#) at AAUW's national convention.



Mahnaz Rezaie

Mahnaz Rezaie (2014–16) has dedicated much of her time as a photojournalist, [documentary filmmaker](#), [writer](#), and [poet](#) to advocating for the rights of Afghan women. [For Rezaie](#), art offers multiple ways to “capture terrible odds and discrimination [and] ... protest against social and cultural injustice.” She was honored at the 2014 Women in the World Summit in New York City for her short film that explores how wearing a hijab affected her relationships when she first came to the United States.



Sofia Espinoza Sanchez

Sofia Espinoza Sanchez (2013–14) is a Peruvian molecular biochemist researching cancer and neurological disorders. Committed to helping a new generation of Peruvian scientists succeed, she also co-directs the Research Experience for Peruvian Undergraduates (REPU) program.



Ramola Ramtohul

Ramola Ramtohul (2006–07) has used her doctoral degree in political science to influence public-policy making through research, writing, and teaching. Her writing and editorial projects, including a book she recently co-edited [Gender and Citizenship in the Global Age](#) and articles in the South African Feminist journal [AGENDA](#), explore intersectionality, women’s political activism, and postcolonialism in the era of globalization. She has held academic appointments at the University of Mauritius and the University of Pretoria.

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ABOUT AAUW

Partners & Supporters

Our partners and supporters share our vision of creating a world where women and girls have the same opportunities to learn, earn and lead as their male counterparts. In the fight for fairness, they share their talents and resources to help close the gender pay gap and make gender equity a reality.



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From sponsoring leadership events to funding salary-negotiation training for millions of women, global companies and foundations are working with us to level the playing field for women and girls everywhere. We're so grateful to them for investing in a fairer future.



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AAUW Champions

The AAUW Champions for Women and Girls program recognizes generous individual donors who have made a significant financial commitment to advancing equity for women and girls. The Champions program honors donors who annually give single or cumulative gifts of \$5,000 or above. Multiyear commitments are encouraged to support deeper investments in our programs.

Our Champions help AAUW reach our goal of pay equity for all, support women and girls in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) fields, and continue our fight for Title IX protections. AAUW is so grateful to the individuals listed below, and everyone else who supports our mission, for making a difference in the lives of women and girls. The Champions below are current as of April 2020.

Ready to Commit?

BECOME A CHAMPION NOW

Legacy Circle

By making a planned gift to AAUW National, you become a member of the [AAUW Legacy Circle](#) and affirm your commitment to equity. These gifts — or bequests — are donations that you designate in your will, estate or trust. Including AAUW in your estate plans is a lovely way to leave an enduring legacy that will support women and girls long into the future.

Questions? Please contact Heather Miller at 202.785.7766.

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CURRENT FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

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Funding: \$18,000–\$30,000

Opens: August 1

Deadline: November 15

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Master's/first professional degree: \$18,000

Doctoral: \$20,000

Postdoctoral: \$30,000

November 15, 2019, by 11:59 p.m. Central Time

Deadline for online submission of application, recommendations, and supporting documents.

April 15, 2020

Notification of decisions emailed to all applicants. AAUW is not able to honor requests for earlier notification.

July 1, 2020–June 30, 2021

Fellowship year

When a deadline or notification date falls on a weekend, the date will be observed on the following business day.

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- International Fellowships are not open to previous recipients of any AAUW national fellowship or grant (not including branch or local awards or Community Action Grants). Members of the AAUW board of directors, committees, panels, task forces and staff, including current interns, are not eligible to apply for AAUW's fellowships and grants. A person holding a current award is eligible for election or appointment to boards, committees, panels and task forces.
 - Unsuccessful applicants may reapply.
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